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FIFTY-FOUR HOURS

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For the Family

Marlborough Merry Mart'

Christmas trees, garlands, decorations, gifts, etc. for sale. Snacks available. Friday and Saturday 9 a.m.-7 p.m. Sunday 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Marlborough School, Rossmore Avenue at Third Street, Los Angeles. 935-1147. Free admittance.

Renaissance Feaste'

Sup on Cornish game hens, English fruit-and-nut salad, Norman bread, rice pilaf and a wassail bowl while singers, musicians and jugglers entertain you. Friday and Saturday at 7 p.m. Faculty Center, Whittier College, Philadelphia Street and Painter Avenue, Whittier. 691-0771, Ext. 310. Reservations required. Adults $15, children under 12 pay $12.

Madrigal Feaste'

Strolling minstrels and a court jester in Elizabethan costumes will entertain at a traditional English Christmas dinner—roast beef, Yorkshire pudding, flaming plum pudding and wassail bowl. Christmas music. Friday and Saturday at 7 p.m. (Also Dec. 17 and 18.) Westwood Hills Christian Church, 10808 Le Conte Ave., Westwood. 208-8576. Reservations suggested. Tickets $15.

Santa Anita workouts

Thoroughbreds in training, the Anheuser-Busch Clydesdale horses, tram tours of the stable area and the Tournament of Roses Queen and her court. Tickets to the Rose Bowl game and parade will be raffled off. Continental breakfast. Saturday 7:30-11 a.m. Santa Anita Park, 285 W. Huntington Drive, Arcadia. Telephone 447-2150. Admission of $1.25 includes breakfast.

Special Olympics basketball

Twenty-eight teams representing cities from San Luis Obispo to San Diego will participate in the Tri-Valley Special Olympics Basketball Invitational tournament. Saturday 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. At Hoover High School, 651 Glenwood Road, Glendale. Telephone 848-4500. Ron Cey of the Dodgers and Brad Holland, formerly with the Lakers, will present the awards. Free admittance.

Holiday boutique

Wooden planters and bookends, dolls' clothes, gift baskets of wine and cheese, baked goods, etc. Proceeds will go to the Neighborhood Youth Association. Saturday 10 a.m.-4 p.m. St. Bede's Episcopal Church, 3500 Grandview Blvd., Los Angeles. Telephone 390-6641. Free admittance.

Queen Anne Cottage tour

For the first time in two years, the cottage will be open to the public for a glimpse of Christmas a century ago. Victorian furnishings, dolls, toys and antique ornaments. Saturday and Sunday 10 a.m.-4 p.m. (Garden hours 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m.) L.A. State and County Arboretum, 301 N. Baldwin Ave., Arcadia. 446-8251. Arboretum admission $1.50, senior citizens and students 75 cents. Admission to the cottage is an additional $1.50.

Christmas tree celebration

You'll get some creative decorating ideas at this community-sponsored show of live Christmas trees, ornaments and decorations. Traditional, ethnic and novelty themes. Refreshments available. Saturday and Sunday 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Descanso Gardens, 1418 Descanso Drive, La Canada. 790-5414. (Garden hours 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m.) Show admission (including a tram ride): adults $2, students and senior citizens pay $1, children under 12 admitted free. Park admission: adults $1.50, ages 5-17, students with ID and senior citizens pay 75 cents, children under 5 admitted free.

American Indian festival

Demonstrations of weaving, basketry, beadworking, pottery and silversmithing. A "Friendship Tree" and performances by the Inter-Tribal Dancers. Saturday and Sunday 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Natural History Museum, 900 Exposition Blvd., Los Angeles. 744-3414. General admission $1.50, children 5-17, students and senior citizens pay 75 cents.

Country crafts bazaar

Dough art, dried flowers, stained glass, crocheted items, toys, Christmas decorations, etc. A portrait artist will be on hand. Children's play area. Refreshments. Proceeds will benefit local park maintenance and drug abuse programs. Saturday and Sunday 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Santiago Park (indoors), 2535 N. Main St., Santa Ana. Telephone (714) 628-8791. Free admittance.

Bethlehem Walk'

An imaginary stroll back to the ancient city with its marketplace, synagogue, soldiers, manger, shepherds and live animals. Mustard seeds, olivewood items, frankincense, authentic foods, etc. for sale. Saturday 10 a.m.-5 p.m., Sunday noon-5 p.m. West Anaheim United Methodist Church, 2045 W. Ball Road, Anaheim. (714) 772-6030. Free admittance.

Christmas boat parade

A burst of fireworks will kick off this annual event. More than 100 decorated boats will participate. Music. Saturday. The parade will start at 5:30 p.m. at Fisherman's Village, Fly Way, Marina del Rey. Telephone 821-7614. Free to spectators.

Hanukkah celebration

Music, dancing, dreidel games, prizes, a candle-lighting ceremony and traditional potato latkes. Saturday 5:30-9 p.m. Hollywood-Los Feliz Jewish Community Center, 1110 Bates Ave., Los Angeles. 663-2255. Adult admission $6, senior citizens pay $4, children 10 and under pay $2.

Christmas lights cruise

Watch the annual parade of decorated boats from the deck of a windjammer, a reproduction of an 18th-Century pirate ship. Enjoy a charcoal-broiled steak dinner and join the Christmas caroling aboard. Saturday. Meet at 6 p.m. at the Buccaneer Cruise ticket booth, Porta O'Call Village, San Pedro. (The boat will return at 9 p.m.) Telephone 820-2688. Reservations required. Fee of $30 includes dinner.

Harbor parade of lights

Boat owners will decorate their vessels as floats for this 17th annual Channel Islands boat parade. Audio and visual effects. Saturday at 7 p.m. At the tip of Harbor Boulevard, Channel Islands Harbor, Oxnard. Telephone (805) 485-8833. Free to spectators.

Walk around the wetlands

Join the Friends of the Ballona Wetlands in a walk led by ecologists and ornithologists. Exhibits and scopes for birdwatching. Sunday 9-11 a.m. The 90-minute walks leave at 10-minute intervals. Meet near the bridge on Pacific Avenue in Playa del Rey. Telephone 821-7020. Free.

Hanukkah festivities

Arts, crafts and drama workshops for children and their parents. A puppet show, music, games and holiday food. Also, a display of rare Hanukkah lamps. Sunday 11:30 a.m.-3 p.m. Skirball Museum, Hebrew Union College, 32nd and Hoover streets, Los Angeles. 749-3424, Ext. 224. Reservations required. Adult admission $3, children under 12 pay $1.50.

Bars and bordellos

Hear about colorful madames and gunslingers on a docent-led 90-minute walk through the Gaslamp Quarter of Old San Diego. See Victorian architecture, San Diego's first zoo and Old Chinatown. Sunday. Meet at 2 p.m. at the Old Spaghetti Factory, 5th and K streets, San Diego. Telephone (619) 222-2224. Reservations suggested. Cost $4, children 7-14 pay $1, under 7 admitted free.

For Adults

Please, Mr. Hemingway'

For "one really good page of really bad Hemingway," submitted in the International Imitation Hemingway Competition, you can win a trip for two to Florence, Italy. Submit any day before Feb. 15, 1983. Winners will be announced early in April 1983. Harry's Bar and American Grill, 2020 Avenue of the Stars, Century City. 277-2333. Bar hours: 11:30 a.m.-midnight. Monday-Saturday, Sunday 5-10:30 p.m. No entry fee.

Designs on silk

Nancy Porter will show you how to use a wax technique and paint to create designs on silk fabric for a multitude of purposes. Materials supplied at this one-session workshop. Saturday 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Reservations required. Creative Arts Group, 108 N. Baldwin Ave., Sierra Madre. 355-8360. Fee of $25 includes materials.

Extraterrestrials'

"UFO Update," a lecture about space, energy alternatives, nuclear proliferation, etc. Slides, handout materials and discussion. Presented by the UFO Education Center. Saturday at 7:30 p.m. Registration fee in advance: $5, at the door $6. Philips Hall, Santa Ana College, 17th and Bristol streets, Santa Ana. (714) 667-3097.

Poets' platform

Poets Richard Meltzer ("Seventeen Insects Can Die in Your Heart") and David Smith ("Closer to Jesus") will read from their works. Saturday at 8 p.m. Beyond Baroque Literary Arts Center, Old Venice City Hall, 681 Venice Blvd., Venice. 822-3006. Donation $2.

Rock 'n' roll auction

Original lithographs by Joni Mitchell, a bronze sculpture of John Lennon, photographs and other rock 'n roll memorabilia will be put on the block. Proceeds will go to the Jim Morrison (of the Doors) Scholarship Fund at UCLA. Saturday and Sunday at 1 p.m. Berwin Entertainment Complex, 6525 Sunset Blvd., Hollywood. Telephone 463-8979. Admission $5.

Festival of calligraphy

Demonstrations, rubber stamp art, Chinese brush painting, music, entertainment, gift items and refreshments. Saturday and Sunday 1-5 p.m. Calligraphy, Inc., 31 Sea-Cliff Village, 2207 Main St., Huntington Beach. Telephone (714) 960-5775. Free admittance.

Beirut eyewitness

Dr. Jack Kent (who treated victims of the Lebanon conflict) will show slides he took in Beirut and will discuss the war in Lebanon and the Palestinian movement for a homeland in "Eyewitness: The Siege of Beirut." A question-and-answer period will follow. Sunday at 1 p.m. Severance Room, First Unitarian Church, 2936 West 8th St., Los Angeles. 389-1356. Free; donations accepted.

For Children

'Santa's Holiday Village'

This replica of an alpine village is a child-sized wonderland of shops, houses, inns and live animals. Pony rides, bumper boats, a crafts workshop, food and Santa arriving by helicopter. An Adopt-A-Puppy program will be featured. Saturday and Sunday 10 a.m.-4 p.m. El Dorado East Regional Park, at the 605 Freeway and Spring Street, Long Beach. Telephone 432-5001. Vehicle entry fee of $2 includes admission for a whole carload of visitors.

Pasadena movie matinee

"Story of Christmas"—authentic Renaissance instruments provide the muse in this animated film that resembles a medieval manuscript. "Case of the Elevator Duck"—solved by a resourceful 11-year-old detective. "Toccata for Toy Trains"—old-fashioned trains chug their way to nowhere, and a little boy dreams that he is the only person in Copenhagen and satisfies his every whim in "Palle Alone in the World." Saturday at noon. Pasadena Public Library, 285 E. Walnut St., Pasadena. 577-4046. Free.

A fairy opera

A puppet version of Engelbert Humperdinck's "Koenigskinder" ("The King's Children"). Presented by the Grim Opera Puppet Theater. Saturday at 1 p.m. Health Science 131, Golden West College, 15744 Golden West St., Huntington Beach. (714) 891-3901. Tickets $1.

Holiday puppet show

An eight-foot giraffe stars in a puppet show presented by the Giraffe and Staff Puppet Company. For children of all ages. Saturday at 2 p.m. (Tots may rent a free Santa at 10 a.m.) Leland R. Weaver Library, 8035 Tweedy Blvd., South Gate. 567-8653. Free.

Christmas Stories

"Petunia's Christmas," "King Midas," "The Silver Christmas Tree" and other stories will be presented by the Bradshaw Players Traveling Theatre Group. For all ages. Saturday at 2:30 p.m. Auditorium, Glendale Public Library, 222 E. Harvard St., Glendale. 956-2051. Free.

Hollywood Night'

Teen-agers can dress as their favorite movie star (past or present) at a teen dance. Top 40 music tunes by deejay Bill Martin. Refreshments. Geared to ages 13-18. Saturday at 8 p.m. Jewish Community Center, 3861 E. Willow St., Long Beach. 426-7601, Ext. 47. Tickets $4.

Movies in Pomona

A live-action nature film about weird creatures that live beneath the sea, also, animated cartoons. Geared to children 6-12. Saturday at 1 p.m. Storytime Room, Pomona Public Library, 625 S. Garey Ave., Pomona. (714) 620-2017. Free.

Weaver of Wonders'

Magician David Avadon (of the Magic Castle) will confound and delight the entire family with his feats. Sunday at 2 p.m. Robert Frost Auditorium, Culver City High School, 4401 Elenda St., Culver City. Telephone 271-6402. Tickets $2.

Puppet classics

Puppeteers Ken and Lillian Cottrell will present two childhood favorites by Beatrix Potter: "Peter Rabbit's Christmas Dream" and "The Tailor of Gloucester." Geared to all ages. Sunday at 2 p.m. Kidspace, 390 S. El Molino Ave., Pasadena. 449-9143. Reservations recommended. Admission: Children 15 and younger pay $2, adults 16 and over will be admitted free.

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